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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Koichiro Hori
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For: Electronic Endoscope
Group: 3302
Examiner: J. Leubecker
Attorney's Docket No.: HORI-101AX

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Sir:

PETITION FOR AUTOMATIC EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND

Applicant hereby petitions for a three (3) month extension of time to reply to the outstanding Official Action mailed July 5, 1995 in connection with the above-identified application, thereby extending the time for reply from October 5, 1995 to January 5, 1996.

A check in the amount of \$900.00 is enclosed to cover the cost of the present petition fee.

In the event that any additional fees may be required in this matter, please charge the same, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 16-0221. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed for the convenience of the Office.

Respectfully submitted,

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